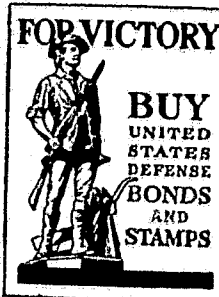


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BLACKOUT RULES FOR DRIVERS OF VEHICLES

Drivers of all vehicles must comply with the following regulations during an air raid alarm or when the street or highway lights are extinguished:

1. Immediately drive close to the curb and stop.
2. Extinguish the lights, close the vehicle openings and seek shelter if available.
3. Do not park at intersections of streets, hydrants, entrances to police stations, hospitals, fire houses or emergency stations.
4. If possible, remove your vehicle entirely from the traveled portion of the road.
5. Passengers in public carriers such as street-cars, buses, trains, etc., shall obey the instructions of conductor or other official in charge.
6. Vehicles with essential duties to perform will be allowed to move during the blackout under the regulations which provide for emergency vehicles, as given in paragraph 12 of Executive Order No. 3. Only vehicles with approved blackout equipment shall be operated during a blackout. Police, including Auxiliary Police, and Air Raid Wardens are directed to stop all vehicles without such equipment.

GOULD TO HOLD BASEBALL CLINIC SATURDAY IN CHARGE OF MacFAYDEN AND JONES

The following program has been planned for Saturday afternoon, April 11, from 1 to 5 o'clock:

1:00 National League Baseball Film at Hanscom Hall.

At Farnsworth Field House—
2:00 Pitchers and catchers under direct supervision of "Danny" MacFayden. It is requested that other boys remain outside the cage.

3:00 Batting with Jeff Jones showing the boys how. It would be well for each coach to have a list of players arranged so that an equal number from each school will have a chance to bat.

4:00 Infield work with Jeff Jones in charge. Also will each having a complete infield speak to one of the men in charge. Each school which has a complete infield present will be given a chance to work. A loud-speaking system will be used in order that all may benefit from the instructions given.

This is an excellent opportunity for the boys in Western Maine to become acquainted with these two Boston Braves scouts, and many schools have already indicated their desire to send a representative.

We are all acquainted with Danny's record in the big leagues, having followed his career since he started twirling them for Hebron Academy. His later record with the Boston Red Sox, Boston Braves, Cincinnati Reds, Pittsburgh Pirates, and Washington Senators is the envy of every young embryo pitcher in these parts.

Jeff Jones may not be quite so well known but he too is a former major leaguer. He was graduated from Harvard University and then played in the Pacific coast league four or five years before he signed up with the Philadelphia Athletics where he served two seasons. He quit major league ball to accept a teaching and coaching position at Newton (Mass.) High School, and for the past 14 years has had an enviable record there.

We should like to have all players in their school uniform and with spikes, but—come anyway—and bring your mitt or glove. All other materials will be furnished.

Miss Leslie Ireland and Miss Ruth Dickinson of the University of New Hampshire spent several days at Miss Ireland's home here.

PICTURES OF PHILIPPINES ATTRACT CROWD AT ODEON HALL TUESDAY EVENING

About 300 people gathered at Odeon Hall Tuesday evening to witness the motion pictures of the Philippine Islands which were shown by Charles Lockwood of Watertford. The photography was the work of Mr. Lockwood during his residence in the Islands, and was of unusual excellence for an amateur. The subject was of especial interest at this time, and the jungle and vicinity of the present fighting were shown clearly. Also of interest were the scenes of the agricultural and mountainous portions of the territory. Native life and customs were revealed, and the entire program was made very interesting and instructive by the brief explanatory remarks given by Mr. Lockwood from time to time.

The pictures were sponsored by the Chamber of Commerce.

SPECIAL SERVICE SUNDAY EVE, METHODIST CHURCH

The Bethel Band will assist in the Service of Intercession for the Men and the Families in the Nation's Armed Forces at the Methodist Church, Sunday evening at 8 o'clock. Worship; Band, Symbol of Honor; Hymn, God of Our Fathers; Band, America the Beautiful; Responsive Reading; Band, Intercession; Band; Band; The March of Democracy; Band; Hymn, America; Benediction; Band.

MRS. NETTIE A. CHAPMAN

Mrs. Nettie A. Chapman passed away Wednesday evening, April 8, at her home on Main Street, Bethel. She was born Sept. 25, 1867, at Bethel, the daughter of William D. and Marcia Brown Hastings.

She attended the elementary schools of Bethel and graduated from Gould Academy. She married Harold Barker Chapman, who died about 25 years ago. She lived at Auburn 30 years, returning to Bethel a few years ago to care for her brother, the late Harry Hastings. While at Auburn she was a substitute teacher and also a tutor of private pupils. She was a member of the Rebekahs and Eastern Star.

Survivors include her sons, Ruel S. of Bethel and Stanley G. of Auburn; cousins, Grover Brown, residence unknown; Everett Brown of Puerto Rico, and Mrs. Fred Edwards of Bethel.

Funeral services will be held Saturday afternoon at 1 o'clock at Greenleaf's funeral home, with Rev. M. A. Gordon officiating. Burial will be at Riverside Cemetery.

SUMNER P. DAVIS

Sumner P. Davis died at his home at North Newry Sunday morning. He was born in Greenwood Jan. 25, 1863, the son of Richmond and Sarah True Davis.

On April 23, 1890, he married Cora Farrar, whose death occurred Jan. 21, 1923. Six children were born to them, three of whom survive, Leslie and Earl of Bethel and Robert of North Newry. For some time Mr. Davis lived in Grafton and Hanover before going to North Newry in 1917. On April 17, 1924, he married Miss Frances Mayhew of Island Pond, Vt., who survives.

Besides his wife and sons he leaves two brothers, Jay True Davis and Gerald Davis, both of Portsmouth N. H.; eight grandchildren, Sherman of Gardner, Mass., Richard, Phyllis, Kathryn, Virginia, Stanley and Jerrold, all of Bethel, and Norman of North Newry.

Funeral services were held Wednesday afternoon at the home, with Rev. Norman S. Scruton officiating. Burial was at the Hanover Cemetery. Bearers were Leslie, Earl, Robert and Gerald Davis.

LOCAL BOYS FINISH ARMY AIR COURSE AT KEESLER FIELD

Privates Arthur Clayton Gibbs of Bethel, son of Mrs. Flora Gibbs of Detroit, Mich., and Lawrence Bean Perry, son of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Perry of West Bethel, were graduated Friday from the huge Air Corps Technical School at Keesler Field, Miss., after an intensive 19-week course which prepared them to serve as Airplane Mechanics "on the line."

Their class, which numbered in the hundreds, will be dispersed among the many units of the Army Air Forces to maintain and service Uncle Sam's planes. The course here includes training in aircraft maintenance fundamentals, airplane structures, hydraulic systems, propellers, instruments, engines, electrical systems, fuel systems, engine operation, and inspection of single and multi-motored planes.

ARMY WANTS SKILLED MEN FOR SERVICE IN ENGINEERS CORPS

Sgt. Pearl M. Smith, in charge of the Army Recruiting Station, Room 205, Post Office Building, Lewiston announces that direct enlistments for Corps of Engineers, Camp Claiborne, Louisiana, will be available April 10th for the following listed specialist:

Blacksmith, Tool Dresser, Demolition Man and Foreman, Bridge Construction Foreman, Railway Construction Foreman, Concrete Construction Foreman, General Construction Foreman, Crane Operators, Crane Shovel Operators, Compressor Operator, Foreman Mechanic, Structural Steel Worker, Quarryman, Riggers and Foremen, Jackhammer Operator, Electrician Foreman and Electricians, Tool Room Keeper, Water Supply Operators, Welder-Combination, Highway Construction Machinery Foreman and Operator, Holist Engineer Rock Crusher Foreman.

All men interested should make application right away. Age, physical and other requirements are the same as for enlistment for other branches of the Army.

WIGHT NOW SERGEANT

Willard Wight, son of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Wight of North Newry, has been promoted recently from corporal to sergeant. He is an instructor at Camp Croft, S. C.

G. OF C. TO PURCHASE INFORMATION BOOTH

The regular meeting of the Bethel Chamber of Commerce was held Tuesday evening at the Legion Rooms with 26 members present. It was voted to buy the building on Railroad Street, which was used last year as an information booth, from the Oxford Hills and Lakes Region Association. The matter of advertising for this year was left until the June meeting for final decision. The meeting was preceded by a chicken pie supper, which was served by the Legion Auxiliary.

FREE VACCINATION

According to Chapter 1, Section 163 of the Public Laws of 1935 all towns are required to offer free vaccination to all the inhabitants. This is available this year to the inhabitants of Bethel, at the office of Dr. H. M. Wilson, Health Officer, on Wednesday, April 15, from 8:30 a. m. to 12 m.

It is recommended by the Civilian Defense Committee that young and old should take advantage of this.

signed HARRY M. WILSON, M. D. Health Officer

APPLICANTS FOR SUGAR RATIONING BOOKS MUST REGISTER WITH TEACHERS

The dates set for registration for sugar rationing books are May 4, 5, 6 and 7. The teachers of the elementary schools are to serve as registrars at the school buildings.

A separate application must be filed for each member of a household. Any member of a family who is 18 years of age or over may register for each member of the household. This person will be required to give the following information regarding each member of a household: Name in full, height, weight, color of eyes, color of hair, and age. He must also be able to tell the number of pounds of sugar in the home at time of registering.

The dates set for registration for the trade or commercial sugar rationing are April 28 and 29. Hotels, restaurants, etc., will register with high schools. Gould Academy will be the place for such registering in Bethel and vicinity.

Watch next week's Citizen for further information regarding place and hours for registering.

Carrie M. Wight, Supt. of Schools

BETHEL AND VICINITY

Miss Francine Warren was home from Norway, Sunday.

Elmer Bean has employment at the South Portland ship yard.

Romeo Baker was at home from Bates College a few days last week.

Henry Hastings spent a few days recently with his mother, Mrs. Ethel Hastings.

Mrs. Elizabeth Griffin has been very ill the past week, but is gaining slowly.

Mrs. Rupert Conroy of Auburn spent the week-end with Mrs. Delia Conroy.

Rev. and Mrs. Herbert Wallace are spending a few days this week in Orleans, Vt.

Miss Joyce Swan spent Easter at her home here and has returned to her work at Portland.

Miss Fannie Hodgdon is in Reel Bank, N. J., as guest of her sister, Miss Lenora Hodgdon.

Mrs. Rufus Rice and infant son, Douglas, arrived home Monday from the St. Louis Hospital.

Miss Margaret Hanscom arrived home last week from Florida, where she spent the winter.

Miss Virginia Chapman of Boston is spending the week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. P. S. Chapman.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Morgan of Portland were week-end guests of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Gerry Morgan.

Dana Brooks Jr. of Springfield, Mass., was a week-end guest of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. Grover Brooks.

The fire department was called to the home of Charles Valentine to extinguish a chimney fire, Wednesday morning.

The amount of Defense Bonds and Stamps purchased at the Bethel Grammar School this week is as follows: Grade V, \$1.80; VI, \$8.05; VII, \$12.10; VIII, \$5.00.

Mrs. Lena Wight, Mrs. Mildred Garroway and Albert Buck, with Mrs. Marjorie Cummings of Hanover attended the Wight-White wedding at Bangor Monday.

Mrs. Gordon Merrill and son, Loring, have moved to Bath, where Mr. Merrill has employment. Caroline Merrill will remain with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Merrill, until school closes.

Alton Cross, son of Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Cross, Leroy Bennett Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. Leroy Bennett, and Edward Swan, son of Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Swan, left Friday for induction into the Army. They were reported Sunday to be at Fort Devens.

BASEBALL PRACTICE STARTS AT GOULD

Due to the new field house and cage, Coach Myers' baseball prospects have started practice earlier than usual. There are 35 out for baseball. Veterans from last year are as follows: Captain "Nick" Amato, "Bill" Robertson, H. Berry, and W. Coolidge.

With only four veterans returning, the Bethel fans will see a lot of new faces in the Gould lineup this year in the opening game. Out for the mound berth this year are: McInnis, Amato, A. Young, Swan, Vail and Prescott. Catchers Wright, Adams, R. Davis and Haines. First base C. Richmond, Morton, Torry, and G. Bryant are fighting for the position. Second base Coolidge, Reid, Jacobs, and LeClair. Shortstops B. Robertson, Chase, and F. Robertson. Third base, the hot corner, Berry, Adams, Emery, Emmons, and Kahill. Outfield N. Amato, W. Coolidge, Morton, Reid, McInnis, Emery, Cole, Swan, Saunders, Lapham, Davis, Vail, Short, Curtis, and A. Young. The manager is F. Gilman. Albert Buck and "Bob" Townsend are assistant managers.

The opening game this year is at Gorham, N. H. The schedule is as follows:

April 25—at Gorham, N. H.
April 29—Norway at Bethel
May 2—Fryeburg at Bethel
May 6—Bridgton at Bethel
May 9—at South Paris
May 12—at Norway
May 16—South Paris at Bethel
May 19—at Fryeburg
May 22—at Bridgton
May 27—Gorham at Bethel
June 6—Alumna at Bethel

SERVICE STATION BREAK

Dick Young's Service Station on Railroad Street was broken into early Sunday morning. The building was entered by breaking the lower sash of the front window. Only 43 pennies were taken.

OXFORD COUNTY U. OF M. ALUMNI TO MEET

The Oxford County University of Maine Alumni Association will hold its annual meeting at Bryant Pond on Wednesday evening, April 15. Dr. Joseph M. Murray, Dean of the College or Arts and Science, will be the main speaker. Charles Crossland, executive secretary of the general alumni association, will also be present and will bring news from the campus and lead the singing of Maine songs. Other business of the meeting will include the election of officers of the county association for the coming year.

The meeting place is to be the Social Hall and supper will be served at seven o'clock. Local arrangements have been made by Alden Chase, class of 1912.

Officers of the association are: Richard F. Blanchard, South Paris, president, and Mrs. Doris McCready, Norway, secretary-treasurer.

Alumni who plan to attend are asked to notify Mrs. McCready so the supper committee can be informed how many to prepare for.

FIVE INJURED IN GLEAD CAR CRASH SATURDAY

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Lozier and son, Carroll, of Gilead were injured Saturday evening about a quarter of a mile east of Gilead village when the 1935 Chevrolet panel truck which Mr. Lozier was driving skidded and hit a 1935 Chevrolet coach occupied by Mr. and Mrs. Leo Turgeon of Berlin, N. H. The truck, which was owned by F. E. Witham of Portland, was badly damaged in front. The car driven by Mr. Turgeon was demolished and Mr. and Mrs. Turgeon were injured.

SONGO POND

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Jewel of Plymouth, N. H., were week end guests of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Kimball.

George Logan of Bath was with his mother, Carrie Logan, over the week end.

Miss Carlene Stone of Fryeburg spent Tuesday with her mother, Mrs. Maud Kimball.

Mr. and Mrs. Hollis Grindle, and Mrs. Maud Grindle were in Norway Tuesday on business.

NORTH NEWRY

A special Easter Service and an Easter Pageant was held at the Church here Sunday with a large attendance.

Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Wight were at Rumbold, Monday.

Miss Amy Bennett is at home ill with the measles.

Miss Carrie Wight was at home over the week end.

Daniel and Elizabeth Wight spent the week end with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Wight.

R. L. Foster and J. W. Reynolds, Selectmen, were at L. E. Wight's, Wednesday, April 1, to receive the inventory.

Quite a number from here went to Bethel Sunday and Monday to see "How Green Was My Valley."

Mr. and Mrs. Ole Olson of East Bethel visited her mother, Mrs. Ole Olson Saturday.

UNITED MUTUAL FIRE INSURANCE CO.

Boston, Mass.
ASSETS DEC. 31, 1941
Stocks and Bonds, \$7,034,223.89
Cash in Office & Bank, 2,234,661.73
Agents' Balances, 863,831.65
Bills Receivable, 1,693.23
Interests and Rents, 39,477.10
All other Assets, 33,836.82
Gross Assets, 10,207,724.42
Less items not admitted, 554,987.68
Admitted, 9,652,736.74
LIABILITIES DEC. 31, 1941
Net Unpaid Losses, \$264,223.00
Unearned Premiums, 5,045,088.62
All other Liabilities, 766,351.89
Cash Capital, 100,000.00
Surplus over Liabilities, 3,477,073.23
Total Liabilities & Surplus, \$9,652,736.74

PATRIOTIC INSURANCE CO.

New York, N. Y.
ASSETS DEC. 31, 1941
Stocks and Bonds, \$2,681,178.26
Cash in Office and Bank, 447,562.43
Agents' Balances, 123,916.78
Interest and Rents, 11,362.64
All other Assets, 23,581.84
Gross Assets, \$3,287,601.91
Less items not admitted, 164,914.06
Admitted, \$3,122,687.85
LIABILITIES DEC. 31, 1941
Net Unpaid Losses, \$121,547.00
Unearned Premiums, 819,185.86
All other Liabilities, 49,786.02
Cash Capital, 1,000,000.00
Surplus over Liabilities, 1,132,170.97
Total Liabilities & Surplus, \$3,122,687.85

FEDERAL MUTUAL FIRE INSURANCE CO.

200 Tremont St., Boston, Mass.
ASSETS DEC. 31, 1941
Stocks and Bonds, \$623,621.11
Cash in Office and Bank, 556,715.87
Agents' Balances, 85,402.85
Interest and Rents, 3,400.62
All other Assets, 2,928.18
Gross Assets, \$1,272,668.63
Less items not admitted, 450.62
Admitted, \$1,272,218.01
LIABILITIES DEC. 31, 1941
Net Unpaid Losses, \$64,572.80
Unearned Premiums, 689,886.18
Reserve Contingencies (Vol.), 24,733.56
All other Liabilities, 32,424.99
Guaranty Fund, 100,000.00
Surplus over Liabilities, 350,000.00
Total Liabilities & Surplus, \$1,271,618.01

CONNECTICUT INDEMNITY COMPANY

New Haven, Conn.
ASSETS DEC. 31, 1941
Stocks and Bonds, \$1,765,060.89
Cash in Office and Bank, 402,881.60
Agents' Balances, 284,182.75
Interest and Rents, 12,963.22
Other Assets, 28,682.95
Gross Assets, \$2,494,000.41
Less items not admitted, 68,768.23
Admitted, \$2,425,232.18
LIABILITIES DEC. 31, 1941
Unpaid Losses, \$502,073.51
Unearned Premiums, 651,876.42
Other Liabilities, 144,644.84
Cash Capital, 800,000.00
Surplus over Liabilities, 538,728.41
Total Liabilities & Surplus, \$2,425,232.18

MUTUAL BENEFIT HEALTH & ACCIDENT ASSOCIATION

Omaha, Nebraska
ASSETS DEC. 31, 1941
Real Estate, \$43,052.00
Mortgage Loans, 79,789.52
Stocks and Bonds, 14,220,255.05
Cash in Office & Bank, 1,532,204.24
Agents' Balances, 255,896.54
Interest & Rents, 127,843.58
All other Assets, 90,297.84
Gross Assets, \$16,349,338.78
Less items unadmitted, 342,514.37
Admitted, \$16,006,824.41
LIABILITIES DEC. 31, 1941
Net unpaid losses, \$7,189,231.12
Unearned Premiums, 9,949,468.77
All other Liabilities, 2,337,841.08
Surplus over Liabilities, 2,530,283.44
Total Liabilities & Surplus, \$16,006,824.41

SECURITY INSURANCE CO. OF NEW HAVEN

New Haven, Conn.
ASSETS DEC. 31, 1941
Real Estate, \$505,570.04
Mortgage Loans, 653,013.58
Stocks and Bonds, 9,093,909.53
Cash in Office and Bank, 1,163,349.14
Agents' Balances, 1,057,576.58
Bills Receivable, 51,716.20
Interest and Rents, 33,059.86
Other Assets, 1,001,189.04
Gross Assets, \$13,579,383.97
Less items not admitted, 327,337.13
Admitted, \$13,252,046.84
LIABILITIES DEC. 31, 1941
Unpaid Losses, \$924,197.66
Unearned Premiums, 5,033,343.27
Other Liabilities, 1,294,505.91
Cash Capital, 2,000,000.00
Surplus over Liabilities, 4,000,000.00
Total Liabilities & Surplus, \$13,252,046.84

AMERICAN MOTORISTS INSURANCE COMPANY

Chicago, Ill.
ASSETS DEC. 31, 1941
Real Estate, \$119,635.02
Mortgage Loans, 140,972.96
Stocks and Bonds, 4,968,331.75
Cash in Office and Bank, 4,370,339.80
Agents' Balances, 795,115.65
Interest and Rents, 11,056.02
Gross Assets, \$10,405,451.20
Less items not admitted, 39,325.00
Admitted, \$10,366,126.20
LIABILITIES DEC. 31, 1941
Net Unpaid Losses, \$4,579,920.25
Unearned Premiums, 2,159,777.00
All other Liabilities, 1,876,428.95
Cash Capital, 750,000.00
Surplus over Liabilities, 1,500,000.00
Total Liabilities & Surplus, \$10,366,126.20

STANDARD ACCIDENT INSURANCE COMPANY

Detroit, Mich.
ASSETS DEC. 31, 1941
Real Estate, \$1,126,462.38
Mortgage Loans, 1,245,093.84
Stocks and Bonds, 16,684,837.40
Cash in Office and Bank, 8,800,967.44
Agents' Balances, 3,662,763.95
Bills Receivable, 127,933.55
Interest and Rents, 98,261.15
All other Assets, 810,527.40
Gross Assets, \$30,526,847.11
Less items not admitted, 836,170.53
Admitted, \$29,690,676.58
LIABILITIES DEC. 31, 1941
Net Unpaid Losses, \$10,665,315.03
Unearned Premiums, 7,650,568.23
All other Liabilities, 2,001,762.69
Surplus over Liabilities, 7,613,659.73
Cash Capital, 1,769,382.00
Total Liabilities and Surplus, \$29,690,676.58

LUMBERMEN'S MUTUAL CASUALTY CO.

Chicago, Ill.
ASSETS DEC. 31, 1941
Real Estate, \$1,451,325.62
Mortgage Loans, 895,247.19
Stocks and Bonds, 27,624,863.03
Cash in Office and Bank, 11,392,737.79
Agents' Balances, 4,054,388.02
Interest and Rents, 58,575.63
All other Assets, 4,062.54
Gross Assets, \$24,481,902.72
Less items not admitted, 117,612.28
Admitted, \$24,364,290.44
LIABILITIES DEC. 31, 1941
Net Unpaid Losses, \$2,859,982.81
Unearned Premiums, 10,683,802.00
All other Liabilities, 8,000,000.00
Total Liabilities & Surplus, \$24,364,290.44

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INSURANCE COMPANY OF NORTH AMERICA

Philadelphia, Pennsylvania
ASSETS DEC. 31, 1941
Real Estate, \$5,678,000.00
Mortgage Loans, 17,975.00
Stocks and Bonds, 98,518,522.54
Cash in Office and Bank, 9,670,707.84
Agents' Balances, 4,615,287.89
Bills Receivable, 48,136.98
Interest and Rents, 212,290.65
All other Assets, 200,250.02

Gross Assets, \$118,961,170.92
Deduct items not admitted, 1,144,254.02
Admitted, \$117,816,916.90
LIABILITIES DEC. 31, 1941
Net Unpaid Losses, \$9,466,143.00
Unearned Premiums, 25,663,255.25
All other Liabilities, 9,030,684.27
Cash Capital, 12,000,000.00
Surplus over all Liabilities, 61,656,834.38
Total Liabilities and Surplus, \$117,816,916.90

STUART W. GOODWIN, Agent
16 General Insurance, Norway, Me.

MERCHANTS MUTUAL CASUALTY COMPANY

Buffalo, New York
ASSETS DEC. 31, 1941
Real Estate, \$116,721.00
Mortgage Loans, 656,653.44
Stocks and Bonds, 2,550,460.71
Cash in Office and Bank, 1,145,950.83
Agents' Balances, 412,019.67
Bills Receivable, 36,460.70
Interest and Rents, 15,512.22
Gross Assets, \$4,933,778.57
Deduct items not admitted, 692,861.47
Admitted, \$4,240,917.10
LIABILITIES DEC. 31, 1941
Net Unpaid Losses, \$1,997,994.53
Unearned Premiums, 1,313,035.59
All other Liabilities, 126,431.67
Total Liabilities and Surplus, \$4,240,917.10

16 W. E. B.

Whereas Ioka Lodge and Camps, a corporation duly organized and existing and having a place of business in Fryeburg, County of Oxford and State of Maine, by its mortgage deed dated June 21, 1935, recorded in the Oxford Western District Registry of Deeds, Book 135, Page 25, to T. Clifford Eastman, by said Eastman assigned to Ina S. Hanscom under date of July 14, 1938, recorded in said Registry Book 121, Page 262, and by said Hanscom assigned to me under date of July 6, 1940, recorded in said Registry Book 121, Page 296, conveyed that certain lot or parcel of land situated in said Fryeburg, on the westerly shore of Lovewell's Pond, being a portion of that parcel heretofore conveyed to said T. Clifford Eastman by Fred T. Elia, by deed dated October 1, 1935, recorded in Oxford Western District Registry of Deeds, Book 131, Page 453, and by said Eastman conveyed said corporation under date of June 21, 1938, duly recorded, bounded and described as follows:

Beginning at a tall stone post at the foot of a hemlock tree on the easterly side of the Pequawket river of that parcel conveyed to the said Eastman by the said Elia as aforesaid; thence North 53° East about 1884 feet by land of Hattie A. Pike, to Lovewell's Pond, at mean low water mark; thence by said Pond at mean low water mark as it trends, a distance of 210 feet northerly to a point, easterly corner of said Grantor's (said corporation) present camp lots on said Pond; thence South 74½° West by the southerly side line of said Grantor's (said corporation) present camp lots about 275 feet to a point; thence North 15½° West 400 feet to the westerly corner of said Grantor's present camp lots; and on in the same course 100 feet to that parcel of land heretofore conveyed by the said Eastman to one Haley, by deed dated October 29, 1935, recorded in said Registry Book 128, Page 426, the same being an iron pipe driven in the ground; thence North 80° West 500 feet to an iron pipe driven in the ground; thence

Trail, original southwesterly corner South 64° West 400 feet to an iron post driven in the ground; thence South 32° West 642 feet to an iron post driven in the ground; thence South 61° 30' West 182 feet to an iron post driven in the ground at the foot of a hemlock tree near the easterly side of said Pequawket Trail; thence South 18½° East by the easterly side of said Pequawket Trail some 70 rods more or less to the point of beginning, together with the camp now thereon.

Saving, excepting and reserving the right of way of the Central Maine Power Company as now existing on said property with right to maintain its poles and wires thereover as now installed. Also saving, excepting and reserving the present right of way from said corporation's original camp lots over, along and across the parcel above described to the Pequawket Trail, as now constructed for the benefit of said original camp lots and for all purposes and modes of travel, and erection of structures thereon as originally conveyed Dudley A. Perkins by two deeds from T. Clifford Eastman the one dated July 19, 1937, recorded in said Registry Book 134, Page 207, and the other dated March 1, 1938, recorded in said Registry Book 134, Page 388, but subject, however, to the rights originally reserved by said Eastman, in said rights of way.

And whereas the condition of said mortgage has been broken:

Now therefore, by reason of the breach of the condition thereof, I claim a foreclosure of said mortgage.

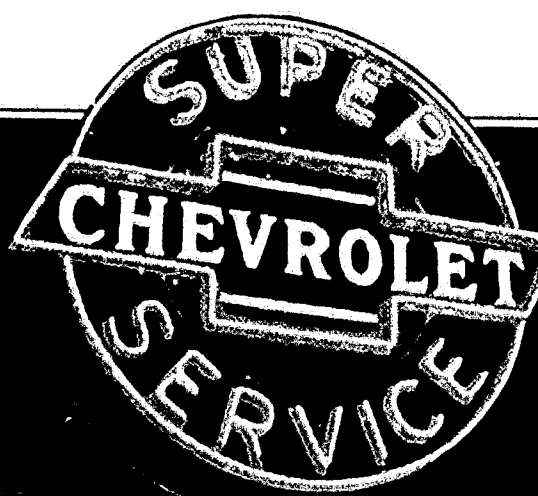
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March 28, 1942.

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THE NEW ARRIVAL

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NEWS

JACKSON-SILVER UNIT, NO. 68.
There was a small attendance at the regular meeting, Friday evening.

The 1942 April Child Welfare Month is especially important in this time of great national crisis. Each Unit should cooperate with its Post in this important activity. Remember the Legion and its Auxiliary's goal is "A Square Deal for Every Child."

Emphasis is placed on the great need of blood plasma to treat the wounded and burned of this war. This is collected by the Red Cross. The Auxiliary is giving five more Mobile Units, fully equipped for this purpose. Each Unit in the Country is asked to send \$1.00 at once for this project to their Dept. Secretary.

The Second District Council will meet in Norway, April 14 at 7:30 p. m. The guests of the Norway and South Paris Units, Legionnaires are invited.

Dept. Membership Chairman Fannie Cummings will install the McFalls, Minot, Poland Unit No.

150, the evening of April 17 at a joint installation at Mechanic Falls. Don't forget April 11 at 11 a. m. It's the monthly radio program over WCOU. Rev. Markey of Auburn, Celia Lamb and Helmi Cummings will assist Mrs. Fannie Cummings this month. Next meeting, April 17.

"A PLEA"

The Navy need binoculars. Chief Machinist Mate Alanson Cummings, U. S. N. R. is asking that someone get him a pair of 6 or 8 power ones at once.

He is on active patrol duty off the New England Coast and there glasses might mean the saving of these sailors lives, who are really guarding our lives. The Navy needs many such glasses NOW.

FRANKLIN GRANGE

Franklin Grange of Bryant Pond met Saturday evening, April 4, with every officer present.

The first and second degrees were conferred on Misses Elizabeth Noyes and Constance Barnett.

The next meeting will be April 18 and the Ladies Degree Team will confer the third and fourth degrees.

The gentlemen will furnish the supper and the supper committee are Harris Hathaway, Howard MacKillop and Gardner Cole.

YOUR CAR How to Get the MOST out of It

Note: Every motorist needs to know how to get the most out of his car—for his own and for his country's sake. Following is the first of a series of articles on car conservation. They are based on material just published in a book, *Automobile User's Guide*, which was prepared by the Customer Research staff of General Motors in cooperation with General Motors engineers, Proving Ground experts, research technicians and service specialists.

To make your car serve for the duration, you must be both a careful driver and a careful owner. You must (1) operate your car sensibly and (2) see that it is kept in top-notch condition.

A careful driver, from the point of view of your car, is not just a good driver. Many things that a good driver can do under normal, peacetime conditions, a careful driver would be foolish to do today. A careful driver would not drive fast today even on the best and safest road in the country unless saving a few minutes time were of paramount importance.

Similarly, the rules of car maintenance have changed. Points that were of minor importance before Pearl Harbor now must be given first consideration. Under-inflation has always been bad for tires, yes. But some were willing to pay in decreased tire mileage for a more cushioned ride. Today that price has become prohibitive.

It will be worth your while to review your motoring habits and decide how they must be changed to meet changed conditions. The next two articles in this series will discuss how to operate your car to squeeze every ounce of mileage out of it. Tires, lubrication, motor, brakes, instruments and car appearance will be dealt with in subsequent installments.

The
Oxford County Citizen

The Bethel News, 1895
The Rumford Citizen, 1906

Published every Thursday in the interests of the inhabitants of Bethel and the other towns of northwestern Oxford County. Entered as second class matter, May 7, 1906, at the post office at Bethel, Maine. Contributions and pictures of interest are gladly received \$2 a year; three years for \$5—in advance. Telephone 100.

CARL L. BROWN, Publisher

THURSDAY, APRIL 9, 1942

WIGHT—WHITE

(The Bangor News)

Miss Ruth Elizabeth White, daughter of Leon G. White of 84 Bouffelle Road, became the bride of William Walton Wight, son of Mrs. Lena F. Wight of Bethel, in a charming ceremony in the Hammond Street Congregational church, Monday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock. The Rev. John N. Feaster, pastor, performed the double ring service.

Miss Ruth McClelland of Hamden, Conn., was maid of honor, and Harold Jordan of Augusta was best man. Leon G. White, Jr., brother of the bride, and Donald S. White were ushers.

The bride, who was given in marriage by her father, was lovely in a gown of white faille taffeta, fashioned with a high neckline and basque waist, and wore a fingertip veil. She complemented her gown with a bouquet of white carnations and snapdragons.

Miss McClelland was attractively dressed in blue marquisette with lace trim, and carried a bouquet of jonquils.

Mrs. Elizabeth Trundy of Seabrook, the bride's grandmother, was attired in a navy blue gown with lace trim, and wore a corsage of yellow roses.

The bride's mother, Mrs. Lena F. Wight, was gowned in teal blue and wore a corsage of yellow roses.

Following the ceremony, a reception was held in the church vestry. Mrs. Malcolm Hayes presided over the punch bowl, and assisting in serving were Mrs. Clarence Gilkey, Miss Ruth Sawyer, Miss Helen Meehan, and Miss Joyce Jacques.

Following a week's tour of the New England States, the young couple will be at home at 195 Camp Street, Newington, Conn.

The bride was graduated from Bangor High School and the University of Maine, where she was a member of Delta Delta Sorority and prominent in many activities. She is employed by the Aetna Insurance Company in Hartford, Conn.

Mr. Wight was graduated from the University of Maine in 1936, and is a member of Sigma Phi Sigma fraternity. He is metallurgist with the Pratt & Whitney plant in Hartford.

Among the out of town guests at the wedding were: Miss Alice Trundy, Calais; Alvin Goldsmith and Miss Jean Whitte, students at the University of Maine; Mr. and Mrs. Story Trundy, Seabrook; Miss Ruth McClelland, Hamden, Conn.; Harold Jordan, Augusta, Me.; Gladys Carter, Millinocket; Mrs. Bertha Ricker, Jackman; Mrs. Marjorie Cummings, Hanover; Mrs. Bernice J. Young, Greenville; Mrs. Emily Hopkins, Waterville; Mr. and Mrs. Orris Hartness, Veazie; Mr. Bertha Blais, Jackman; and Mrs. M. G. Garraway and Albert Buck of Bethel.

CARD OF THANKS

We deeply appreciate the kindness shown us during our recent bereavement. We wish to thank our friends for their many expressions of sympathy, including the flowers from the Newry neighbors, Bear River Grange and the Davis Mill Crew, and Rev. Norman Scruton for his words of comfort.

Mrs. Sumner Davis
Leslie Davis and family
Earl Davis and family
Robert Davis and family

GOULD ACADEMY

At the regular school assembly period Tuesday morning the Student Council sponsored a special program at which time varsity sports letters were awarded for Basketball and Skiing.

President Whipple Abbott was master of ceremonies. Janet Smith conducted the devotional exercises after which the following program was carried out.

For Basketball Team (Champions of Western Maine Conference) Nicholas Amato, William Robinson, Captains

Basketball Coach, Ordell Anderson
Presentation of letters by E. F. Ireland

For Ski Team (Champions of Maine) Fremont Ireland, Captain
Ski Coach, Howard Chivers

Presentation of letters by E. F. Ireland

The following boys received their varsity letters:

Basketball—William Robertson, Bethel; Nicholas Amato, Winchester, Mass.; Charles St. Thomas, Quincy, Mass.; Wilfred Coolidge Locke Mills; Francis Berry, Bethel; Clark Richmond, Machias; Glendon McAllister, Mgr., Bethel.

Skiing—Fremont Ireland, Bethel; Elmer Runyon, Plainfield, N. J.; Malcolm Brown, Englewood, N. J.; James Reid, Parsonfield; Thomas Jacobs, Watertown, Mass.; Virgil Adams, Sumner; Gilbert LeClair, Bethel; Irving Cummings, Green-

wood; William Bartlett, Mgr., Brunswick.

The Sophomore Class of '44 were declared the winners of the Inter-Class Basketball Tournament and the following boys awarded their numerals: Guy Parker, Kenneth McInnis, George Bryant, Ernest Bennett, Sherman Emery, William Grover, Richard Walker, Arnold Grover.

A new organization, the Gould Academy Science Club, has recently been organized. The combining of the Camera Club with this Club brings the scientific activities of the Academy under one division.

Due to limited time the organization is still in its early development. Temporary officers have been elected: Elmer Runyon, president; Louisa Bacon, vice-president; Claire Reid, secretary. The following program committee has been designated: Louisa Bacon, chairman; Herbertina Norton, Fremont Ireland, Nicholas Amato.

The chief aim of this organization is to further scientific interest here at Gould. Many projects, among them a weather-recording station, telescope, and miniature paper mill are planned.

Meetings are held every three weeks at 6:30 Tuesday evenings. Lectures, demonstrations, and exhibits are planned for regular meetings. Anyone interested in attending these displays is welcome.

A meeting is to be held next week to choose members.

On the afternoon of April 2, the Chemistry classes went to Rumford to visit the Oxford paper mills. The group of 25 students, together with the principal, Elwood F. Ireland, and their science instructor, A. J. Fortier, spent a very interesting as well as instructive afternoon. At the close of the tour, the company presented each student with a large pad of white paper. All of the group had a grand

time, and is indebted to the Oxford Paper Company for their kindness.

Students making the trip were Marjorie Alvord, Nicholas Amato, William Bartlett, Hope Bean, Milton Cameron, Jane Chesley, Rachel Field, Barbara Linnitt, Oliver Morton, Herbertina Norton, Claire Reid, Charles St. Thomas, Seabury Short, Janet Smith, Ruth Walker, Gladys Neuswanger, Frances Holmes, Elmer Runyon, Virgil Adams, Marion Colby, June Enman, Dorothy Fish, Ruby Jewell, Carroll Gay, Lewis Littlehale.

Orders for THE ACADEMY HERALD should be mailed to Manager Edward C. Bean, Bethel, Maine, before May 1. Price 75c.

GEORGIA A. CROCKETT

Georgia A. Crockett died at her home in Bryant Pond Monday afternoon, after several months' illness. She was born in Island Pond, Vt., June 28, 1860, the daughter of George W. and Esther Beare Crockett, and had lived in Woodstock 72 years.

She is survived by a sister, Mrs. Lucy Bean of Bryant Pond; two brothers, Harry Crockett of Bryant Pond and Charles Crockett of Locke Mills; and several nieces and nephews.

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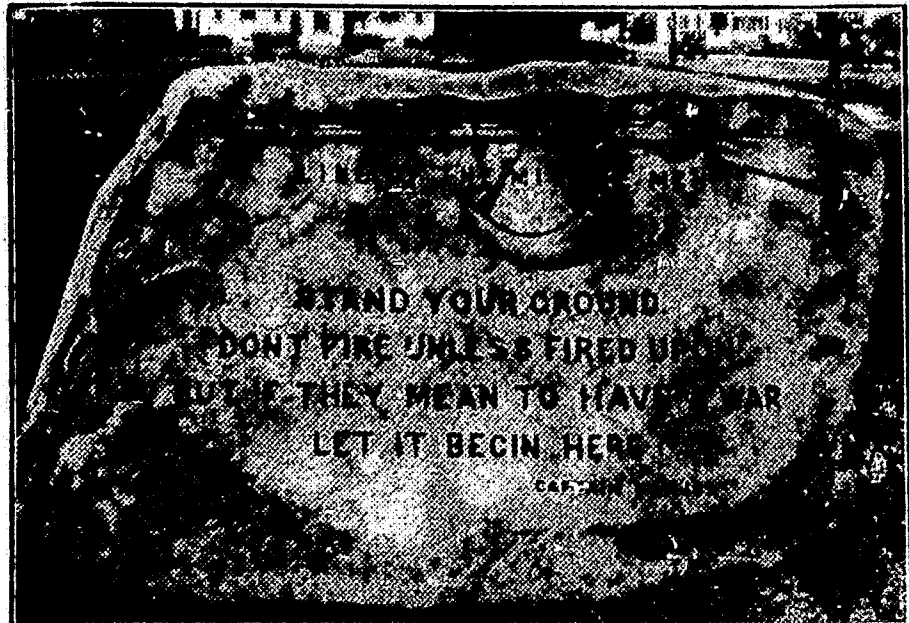
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Telling the Vacation Story



Keep a full record of your vacation tour, including information pictures as well as scenic and "fun" pictures. Use the camera for reminders such as this—it's quicker than a notebook, and much better.

THIS is the season for vacation tours, and every such tour includes many pictures, both of your vacation group and of the scenes you visit.

These tour pictures should tell a complete story of your vacation trip. They should outline the route, show the type of road and country, overnight stops, the points of interest and historical spots you visited. Often some of these pictures are neglected, and in consequence the tour story seems incomplete.

One of the important points in making a tour record complete is to picture the historical markers, signs, place names, road markers, and similar "identification points" you pass. These pictures, placed in your vacation album in proper sequence with the other pictures, provide valuable information for the friends who see your album, and help keep your own memory fresh.

The camera is especially useful for preserving long historical inscriptions. It is much quicker than using a notebook, and pictures of unusual markers (such as the one above) are far superior to a mere notebook text.

On this year's vacation tour, try to keep a comprehensive picture story. Remember that if you miss a picture your record may not be complete. A half-made record is better than none, but a full one, that really tells the vacation story, provides for memories that are far richer and more satisfying.

John van Guider.

SOUTH WOODSTOCK

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Verrill and friends from Providence, R. I., were week-end guests of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Alton Verrill.

Mrs. Vera Buck is working at the home of John Ross at West Paris.

Sunday and week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. H. Stanley Andrews were her brother, Vernal Packard, and Mr. and Mrs. Leon Packard of Auburn, and Mr. and Mrs. Leon Proctor of West Paris.

Jimmy Andrew, is under quarantine for measles. Mrs. Olive Davis has the German measles.

SCHOOL SAVINGS BANK

Week of April 6

Grade Savings Bank Total Per Cent

I	\$4.00	\$3.35	49
II	2.00	1.80	57
III	1.00	2.40	61
IV	6.00	2.85	64
	\$13.00	\$10.40	
V	\$2.00	\$1.40	31
VI	1.00	2.00	65
VII	4.00	2.55	68
VIII		3.00	57
	\$7.00	\$8.95	

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Try this recipe today. See your family register the same sweet-tooth satisfaction they always show when you bake up a batch of golden-brown, crunchy Toll House Cookies.

Toll House Chocolate Cookies

(with honey and maple syrup)

Cream:
1 cup shortening, add
1/2 cup strained honey
1/2 cup maple syrup and
2 eggs, beaten whole

Sift together:
2 1/2 cups sifted flour
1 teaspoon salt
1 teaspoon soda and add to first mixture

Lastly add:
1 cup chopped nuts and
2 7-oz. packages semi-sweet chocolate, in pieces

Flavor with:
1 teaspoon vanilla and drop by half teaspoons on a greased cookie sheet.

Bake At: 350° F. Time: 15-20 mins. Makes 100 cookies.

UPTON

Mrs. C. A. Judkins, Correspondent

The Annual Sunrise Service was held at the Congregational Church at 7 a. m. The Church was beautifully decorated with potted plants, daffodils and Easter Lillies. The Easter story was presented with Mrs. Jennie Stewart as Mary Magdalene and the Sunday School taking part in the presentation and singing. The choir sang several Easter hymns during the service. The meeting was very well attended.

The Ladies Aid served a breakfast in their building after the Easter service.

Misses Viola Barnett and Bessie Casey were home from Stephens High School at Rumford for the week-end.

Miss Pearl Barnett, a student nurse at the Rumford Community Hospital, was at home for Easter Sunday.

Lee Abbott of Bangor was in town visiting relatives for the week-end.

Gordon Barnett was home for the Easter holidays.

James Barnett has finished his logging job at Camp 2 on Molledgewalk Pond and has moved out.

The Brown Co. has moved in on Molledgewalk to be ready for the drive.

Paul Fuller was home from Rumford, where he is employed, for the week-end.

Mrs. Eleanor Barnett and Mrs. Jennie Judkins attended training class at Rumford, Friday. The meeting was on Canteens.

The Men's Club are planning a Ladies' Night meeting on Wednesday, April 8. Dr. Jackson of Andover is to be the guest speaker. He is to talk on First Aid and give some demonstrations. The Grange is planning to serve an oyster stew supper.

Rev. George Duke of Errol, N. H., read his resignation, to be effective April 27.

The Ladies' Aid held the third in their series of whist parties at the home of Lalla Barnett, Wednesday, April 1.

Mrs. Sargent's house caught fire near the chimney Monday this week and would have burned if several men had not arrived immediately when the news was telephoned.

BRYANT POND

Mrs. Inez Whitman, Correspondent

Easter Sunday was observed at the Baptist Church last Sunday and the choir was composed of the adult choir and the young people's choir and the singing of Easter Hymns was enjoyed by all present.

Rev. James MacKillop and family and several members of the Church went to the Baptist Church at Rumford for the Baptism held there at three when four young people of Bryant Pond were baptized by Rev. James MacKillop. They were Romona Farnum, Elsie Redmar, Sally Stowell and James Russell.

The Rumford Church had some beautiful flowers Rev. A. Z. Arnold, Pastor. After the Baptism, the young people's choir of Rumford and a few of the young people's choir of Bryant Pond went to the Rumford Community Hospital and sang hymns. Several from Bryant Pond stayed to the evening services and to the evening Baptism when four from Rumford were baptized by Rev. A. Z. Arnold. Among them was Fred Newton, father of Rev. Newton of Bryant Pond.

There were two Easter lilies given at the Baptist Church, one by Mrs. Abby Dudley in memory of Perley Dudley and the other by Mrs. Carrie DaVe and family in memory of Fred DaVe.

Mr. and Mrs. Dan Dougherty of Rumford were Sunday visitors of their daughter and husband Mr. and Mrs. Donald Collins.

Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Keniston of Rumford were visitors of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Keniston, Sunday and then both families went to Albany to visit Mr. and Mrs. L. J. Andrews.

Wyman Lord, teacher of the sixth and seventh grades, has been called into the selective service, leaving Thursday.

STATE OF MAINE

To all persons interested in either of the Estates hereinafter named: At a Probate Court, held at Paris in and for the County of Oxford, on the third Tuesday of March, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and forty-two, from day to day from the third Tuesday of said March. The following matters having been presented for the action hereupon hereinafter indicated, it is hereby Ordered:

That notice thereof be given to all persons interested, by causing a copy of this order to be published three weeks successively in the Oxford County Citizen, a newspaper published at Bethel, in said County, that they may appear at a Probate Court to be held at said Paris, on the third Tuesday of April, A. D. 1942, at 10 of the clock in the forenoon, and be heard thereon if they see cause.

Frank P. Abbott, late of Bethel, deceased; Will and petition for probate thereof and the appointment of Linnie M. Abbott as executrix of the same to act without bond as expressed in said Will, presented by Linnie M. Abbott, the executrix therein named.

Mary H. Walker of Lovell, adult ward; First and final account presented for allowance by Barnes H. Walker, guardian.

Albert D. Wight, late of Gilead, deceased; Petition for the appointment of Charles C. Quimby as administrator of the estate of said deceased with bond, presented by Fred A. Wight, son and heir-at-law.

Fred E. Lane, late of Upton, deceased; Will and petition for probate thereof and the appointment of Geneva K. Lane as executrix of the same to act without bond as expressed in said Will, presented by Geneva K. Lane, the executrix therein named.

Witness, Albert J. Stearns, Judge of said Court at Paris, this third Tuesday of March in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and forty-two.

16 EARLE R. CLIFFORD, Register.

NOTICE

The subscriber hereby gives notice that she has been duly appointed Exrx. of the estate of Bert Fuller late of Upton in the County of Oxford, deceased, without bond. All persons having demands against the estate of said deceased are desired to present the same for settlement, and all indebted thereto are requested to make payment immediately.

EVA B. FULLER
Upton, Maine
March 17th, 1942.

Mrs. Herman Billings went to Portland, Friday, where she was the guest of her daughter, Miss Dorothea Billings.

Mrs. Homer Farnum, Mrs. Richard Seet and the Misses Edith and Clara Whitman were in Lewiston last Saturday.

WEST BETHEL

Mrs. Evelyn McKennon and daughter, Crystal, and Mrs. Carrie Cunningham of Biddeford were guests of Mrs. Estella Goodridge, Thursday.

Byron Abbott and daughter, Carolyn of South Portland visited on Saturday his brother, Carroll Abbott and family and his mother, Clara Abbott. Mrs. Byron Abbott who has been a surgical patient at the Maine General Hospital, has returned to her home and is gaining.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Kneeland of Salem, Mass. visited his sister, Mrs. Fred Lovejoy and family, Friday.

Mrs. Grace Hutchinson is confined to her home by illness.

Elizabeth Davis and Jake Tibbets are absent from school with the German measles.

Rupert Grover, who has work in Norway, spent the week-end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Eli Grover.

NOTICE

All persons indebted to me are requested to make payment in full on or before April 20, 1942, or their accounts will be put in the hands of my attorney for collection.

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ASSETS	
1. Loans and discounts (including \$61.50 overdrafts)	\$36,894.47
2. United States Government obligations, direct and guaranteed	113,600.00
3. Obligations of States and political subdivisions	8,000.00
4. Other bonds, notes, and debentures	155,348.56
5. Corporate stocks (including \$1,500.00 stock of Federal Reserve Bank)	1,500.00
6. Cash, balances with other banks, including reserve balance, and cash items in process of collection	163,004.35
8. Real estate owned other than bank premises	1.00
12. Total Assets	\$478,348.32
LIABILITIES	
13. Demand deposits of individuals, partnerships, and corporations	\$327,129.97
16. Deposits of States and political subdivisions	27,187.52
19. Total deposits	\$364,316.59
24. Total Liabilities	\$364,316.59
CAPITAL ACCOUNTS	
25. Capital Stock:	
(a) Common stock, total par	25,000.00
26. Surplus	25,000.00
27. Undivided profits	64,032.23
29. Total Capital Accounts	114,032.23
30. Total Liabilities and Capital Accounts	\$478,348.32

State of Maine,

County of Oxford, ss: I, Fred B. Merrill, cashier of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

FRED B. MERRILL, Cashier.
Sworn to and subscribed before me this 8th day of April, 1942.

ALICE J. BROOKS,
Notary Public.

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ASSETS DEC. 31, 1941	
Real Estate	\$44,875.00
Stocks and Bonds	401,438.15
Cash in Office and Bank	75,114.31
Agents' Balances	17,465.85
Interest and Rents	2,565.48
All other Assets	20,472.53
Gross Assets	\$561,926.32
Admitted	\$561,926.32
LIABILITIES DEC. 31, 1941	
Net Unpaid Losses	\$6,780.55
Unearned Premiums	187,303.02
All other Liabilities	3,003.54
Surplus over all Liabilities	\$364,749.21
Total Liabilities and Surplus	\$561,926.32
W. E. B.	

FARM BUREAU MUTUAL AUTOMOBILE INSURANCE COMPANY
of Concord, New Hampshire

ASSETS DEC. 31, 1941	
Real Estate	\$35,000.00
Stocks and Bonds	375,603.17
Cash in Office and Bank	46,397.35
Agents' Balances	15,514.57
Interest and Rents	2,315.25
All other Assets	39,831.45
Gross Assets	\$514,661.79
Deduct items not admitted	5,000.00
Admitted	\$509,661.79
LIABILITIES DEC. 31, 1941	
Net Unpaid Losses	\$116,004.20
Unearned Premiums	565.18
All other Liabilities	10,355.25
Surplus over all Liabilities	\$383,141.31
Total Liabilities and Surplus	\$509,661.79

VERMONT ACCIDENT INS. CO.
Rutland, Vermont

ASSETS DEC. 31, 1941	
Real Estate	\$2,400.00
Mortgage Loans	7,126.70
Stocks and Bonds	49,225.92
Cash in Office and Bank	4,631.83
All other Assets	1,117.96
Gross Assets	\$64,502.31
Deduct items not admitted	81.37
Admitted	\$64,420.94
LIABILITIES DEC. 31, 1941	
Net Unpaid Losses	\$8,850.00
Unearned Premiums	11,671.96
All other Liabilities	3,600.00
Cash Capital	10,000.00
Surplus over all Liabilities	\$30,398.98
Total Liabilities and Surplus	\$64,420.94

NEW HAMPSHIRE FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY
Manchester, N. H.

ASSETS DEC. 31, 1941	
Real Estate	\$308,998.37
Mortgage Loans	4,387.50
Stocks and Bonds	15,404,899.44
Cash in Office and Bank	1,066,031.40
Agents' Balances	1,006,466.06
Bills Receivable	246,003.76
Interest and Rents	109,239.07
All other Assets	86,099.15
Gross Assets	\$18,235,114.75
Deduct items not admitted	325,695.80
Admitted	\$17,909,418.95
LIABILITIES DEC. 31, 1941	
Net Unpaid Losses	\$969,544.33
Unearned Premiums	5,603,512.12
All other Liabilities	506,619.30
Cash Capital	3,000,000.00
Surplus over all Liabilities	\$7,826,443.20
Total Liabilities and Surplus	\$17,909,418.95

STUART W. GOODWIN, Agent
16 General Insurance, Norway, Me.**BERKSHIRE MUTUAL FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY**
Pittsfield, Massachusetts

ASSETS DEC. 31, 1941	
Real Estate	\$55,000.00
Mortgage Loans	13,475.00
Collateral Loans	18,000.00
Stocks and Bonds	\$63,291.08
Cash in Office and Bank	260,246.76
Agents' Balances	108,653.71
Interest and Rents	6,393.40
All other Assets	5,682.53
Gross Assets	\$1,360,745.45
Deduct items not admitted	111,876.21
Admitted	\$1,248,869.27
LIABILITIES DEC. 31, 1941	
Net Unpaid Losses	\$82,830.00
Unearned Premiums	\$2,537,379.20
All other Liabilities	28,466.86
Surplus over all Liabilities	\$280,163.21
Total Liabilities and Surplus	\$1,248,869.27

STUART W. GOODWIN, Agent
16 General Insurance, Norway, Me.**AETNA LIFE INSURANCE COMPANY**
Accident and Liability Department
Hartford, Connecticut

ASSETS DEC. 31, 1941	
Real Estate	\$1,460,271.69
Mortgage Loans	\$50,747.80
Stocks and Bonds (Book Value)	\$27,598,287.08
Cash in Office and Bank	\$2,414,484.96
Agents' Balances	\$1,667,516.55
Bills Receivable	\$1,581,661.64
Interest and Rents	\$1,702,924.94
All other Assets	\$16,208,390.98
Gross Assets	\$78,876,559.68
Deduct items not admitted	\$778,817,153.22
Admitted	\$778,237,038.75
LIABILITIES DEC. 31, 1941	
Net Unpaid Losses	\$10,182,124.00
Unearned Premiums	\$3,605,482.95
All other Liabilities	\$2,967,923.97
Cash Capital	\$18,778,828.20
Surplus over all Liabilities	\$15,000,000.00
Total Liabilities and Surplus	\$778,237,038.75

AMERICAN AUTOMOBILE INSURANCE COMPANY
St. Louis, Missouri

ASSETS DEC. 31, 1941	
Stocks and Bonds	\$10,088,005.10
Cash in Office and Bank	\$13,615,228.48
Agents' Balances	\$2,468,836.06
Bills Receivable	\$6,428,423.13
Interest and Rents	\$15,452.99
All other Assets	\$124,221.13
Gross Assets	\$26,317,421.60
Deduct items not admitted	\$6,744.51
Admitted	\$26,247,676.69
LIABILITIES DEC. 31, 1941	
Net Unpaid Losses	\$7,109,861.92
Unearned Premiums	\$6,428,423.13
All other Liabilities	\$1,324,874.15
Cash Capital	\$2,000,000.00
Surplus over all Liabilities	\$9,788,511.77
Total Liabilities and Surplus	\$26,247,676.69

CALVERT FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY
Philadelphia, Pennsylvania

ASSETS DEC. 31, 1941	
Stocks and Bonds	\$1,047,809.90
Cash in Office and Bank	\$7,366,822.71
Agents' Balances	\$208,580.81
Bills Receivable	\$2,104.65
Interest and Rents	\$2,447.76
All other Assets	\$8,657,765.33
Gross Assets	\$8,657,765.33
Deduct items not admitted	\$8,657,765.33
Admitted	\$8,657,765.33
LIABILITIES DEC. 31, 1941	
Net Unpaid Losses	\$546,889.00
Unearned Premiums	\$4,099,246.72
All other Liabilities	\$808,529.46
Cash Capital	\$1,000,000.00
Surplus over all Liabilities	\$2,204,100.15
Total Liabilities and Surplus	\$8,657,765.33

MILL OWNERS MUTUAL FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY OF IOWA
Des Moines, Iowa

ASSETS DEC. 31, 1941	
Real Estate	\$2,620,000.00
Stocks and Bonds	\$1,885,536.80
Cash in Office and Bank	\$187,701.20
Agents' Balances	\$253,631.74
Interest and Rents	\$2,000.00
All other Assets	\$21,932.12
Gross Assets	\$5,072,836.60
Deduct items not admitted	\$179,395.83
Admitted	\$4,893,440.77
LIABILITIES DEC. 31, 1941	
Net Unpaid Losses	\$5,321.26
Unearned Premiums	\$1,944,316.33
All other Liabilities	\$1,000,000.00
Cash Capital	\$771,048.38
Surplus over all Liabilities	\$1,000,000.00
Total Liabilities and Surplus	\$5,072,836.60

FIREMAN'S FUND INDEMNITY COMPANY
San Francisco, California

ASSETS DEC. 31, 1941	
Real Estate	\$3,841,473.13
Mortgage Loans	\$30,492.50
Stocks and Bonds	\$78,980,446.10
Cash in Office and Bank	\$2,287,805.06
Agents' Balances	\$2,281,287.24
Bills Receivable	\$1,951,181.52
Interest and Rents	\$1,645,000.00
All other Assets	\$1,152,439.30
Gross Assets	\$125,137,946.88
Deduct items not admitted	\$1,151,174.27
Admitted	\$123,976,772.11
LIABILITIES DEC. 31, 1941	
Net Unpaid Losses	\$9,858,743.06
Unearned Premiums	\$9,351,220.00
All other Liabilities	\$3,768,908.07
Cash Capital	\$15,000,000.00
Surplus over all Liabilities	\$8,898,101.04
Total Liabilities and Surplus	\$123,976,772.11

THE HOME INSURANCE COMPANY
59 Maiden Lane, New York, N. Y.

ASSETS DEC. 31, 1941	
Real Estate	\$3,841,473.13
Mortgage Loans	\$30,492.50
Stocks and Bonds	\$78,980,446.10
Cash in Office and Bank	\$2,287,805.06
Agents' Balances	\$2,281,287.24
Bills Receivable	\$1,951,181.52
Interest and Rents	\$1,645,000.00
All other Assets	\$1,152,439.30
Gross Assets	\$125,137,946.88
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Unearned Premiums	\$9,351,220.00
All other Liabilities	\$3,768,908.07
Cash Capital	\$15,000,000.00
Surplus over all Liabilities	\$8,898,101.04
Total Liabilities and Surplus	\$123,976,772.11

THE NORTH RIVER INSURANCE CO.
115 William St., New York, N. Y.

ASSETS DEC. 31, 1941	
Real Estate	\$3,841,473.13
Mortgage Loans	\$30,492.50
Stocks and Bonds	\$78,980,446.10
Cash in Office and Bank	\$2,287,805.06
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THE TRAVELERS INSURANCE COMPANY
Hartford, Connecticut

ASSETS DEC. 31, 1941	
Real Estate	\$45,528,016.10
Mortgage Loans	\$1,100,892.00
Stocks and Bonds	\$70,801,061.84
Cash in Office and Bank	\$1,731,302.64
Agents' Balances	\$6,941,480.97
Interest and Rents	\$12,558,851.81
All other Assets	\$12,558,851.81
Gross Assets	\$142,558,851.81
Deduct items not admitted	\$1,100,892.00
Admitted	\$141,457,959.81
LIABILITIES DEC. 31, 1941	
Net Unpaid Losses	\$24,901.21
Unearned Premiums	\$3,950,612.43
All other Liabilities	\$1,100,892.00
Cash Capital	\$1,100,892.00
Surplus over all Liabilities	\$136,305,454.28
Total Liabilities and Surplus	\$141,457,959.81

FIREMEN'S INSURANCE COMPANY
19 Park Place, Newark, New Jersey

ASSETS DEC. 31, 1941	
Real Estate	\$4,725,197.28
Mortgage Loans	\$57,712.25
Stocks and Bonds	\$2,193,849.87
Cash in Office and Bank	\$2,111,959.08
Agents' Balances	\$1,936,216.94
Bills Receivable	\$118,716.53
Interest and Rents	\$84,828.86
All other Assets	\$68,362.60
Gross Assets	\$85,823,868.07
Deduct items not admitted	\$108,428.01
Admitted	\$85,715,439.06
LIABILITIES DEC. 31, 1941	
Net Unpaid Losses	\$2,267,117.79
Unearned Premiums	\$15,787,019.34
All other Liabilities	\$2,119,170.98
Cash Capital	\$2,397,600.00
Surplus over all Liabilities	\$6,954,426.95
Total Liabilities and Surplus	\$85,715,439.06

NATIONAL LIBERTY INSURANCE COMPANY OF AMERICA
59 Maiden Lane, New York, N. Y.

ASSETS DEC. 31, 1941	
Real Estate	\$25,000.00
Mortgage Loans	\$18,844,242.03
Stocks and Bonds	\$1,313,547.49
Cash in Office and Bank	\$211,971.05
Agents' Balances	\$1,313,547.49
Interest and Rents	\$1,313,547.49
All other Assets	\$4,475.16
Gross Assets	\$20,464,310.72
Deduct items not admitted	\$1,127,519.89
Admitted	\$19,336,790.83
LIABILITIES DEC. 31, 1941	
Net Unpaid Losses	\$1,096,262.15
Unearned Premiums	\$9,908,485.00
All other Liabilities	\$1,313,547.49
Cash Capital	\$4,000,000.00
Surplus over all Liabilities	\$7,818,881.42
Total Liabilities and Surplus	\$19,336,790.83

COMMERCIAL CASUALTY INS. CO.
10 Park Place, Newark, N. J.

ASSETS DEC. 31, 1941	
Real Estate	\$25,000.00
Mortgage Loans	\$18,844,242.03
Stocks and Bonds	\$1,313,547.49
Cash in Office and Bank	\$211,971.05
Agents' Balances	\$1,313,547.49
Interest and Rents	\$1,313,547.49
All other Assets	\$4,475.16
Gross Assets	\$20,464,310.72
Deduct items not admitted	\$1,127,519.89
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Total Liabilities and Surplus	\$19,336,790.83

UNITED STATES BRANCH GENERAL ACCIDENT FIRE AND LIFE ASSURANCE CORPORATION, LIMITED
Perth, Scotland

ASSETS DEC. 31, 1941	
Real Estate	\$70,317.21
Mortgage Loans	\$4,368,108.55
Stocks and Bonds	\$4,368,108.55
Cash in Office and Bank	\$4,368,108.55
Agents' Balances	\$4,368,108.55
Interest and Rents	\$4,368,108.55
All other Assets	\$4,368,108.55
Gross Assets	\$45,213,935.56
Deduct items not admitted	\$2,622,760.32
Admitted	\$42,591,175.24
LIABILITIES DEC. 31, 1941	
Net Unpaid Losses	\$12,353,844.00
Unearned Premiums	\$1,910,515.30
All other Liabilities	\$7,654,000.00
Cash Capital	\$1,000,000.00
Surplus over all Liabilities	\$13,842,763.27
Total Liabilities and Surplus	\$42,591,175.24

THE PRUDENTIAL INSURANCE COMPANY OF AMERICA
Newark, New Jersey

ASSETS DEC. 31, 1941	
Real Estate	\$176,600,626.55
Mortgage Loans	\$1,122,320,359.88
Collateral Loans, (Policy Loans and Premium Notes)	\$31,094,120.88
Stocks and Bonds	\$2,674,800,420.40
Cash in Office and Bank	\$120,890,882.81
Agents' Balances	\$18,324,948.24
Interest and Rents	\$4,278,184.47
All other Assets	\$5,155,177.35
Gross Assets	\$4,567,741,721.71
Deduct items not admitted	\$1,656,476.94
Admitted	\$4,566,085,244.84
LIABILITIES DEC. 31, 1941	
Net Unpaid Losses	\$25,778,436.77
Unearned Premiums	\$23,176,713.13
All other Liabilities	\$4,237,978,498.15
Cash Capital	\$2,000,000.00
Surplus over all Liabilities	\$8,168,656.79
Total Liabilities and Surplus	\$4,566,085,244.84

THE TRAVELERS INSURANCE COMPANY
Hartford, Connecticut

Gross Assets	\$4,567,741.721
Deduct Items admitted	1,165,674.498
Admitted	\$4,556,065,244.113
LIABILITIES DEC. 31, 1941	
Net Unpaid Losses	\$ 26,778,486.71
Unearned Premiums	23,176,713.35
All other Liabilities	4,623,978,498.00
*Cash Capital	2,000,000.00
Surplus over all Liabilities	80,166,598.00
Total Liabilities and Surplus	\$4,556,065,244.113
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LOCKE MILLS

Mary Mills, Correspondent
Mrs. Mary Fuller of Bryant Pond was guest of honor at a shower given to her by friends at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Owen Davis, Saturday evening. She received many nice presents. Refreshments were served to the following: Mrs. Florence Rand, Mrs. Florence Ring, Mrs. Florence Bean, Mrs. Edith Littlefield, Mrs. Jeanette Tebbets, Mrs. Cora Crockett, Misses Jean and Louise Tirrell, Mrs. Myrtle Clifford, Mrs. Bertha Davis, Miss Betty Davis, Mrs. Ruth Dorien, Sarah Dorion, Mrs. Adelaide Lister, Mrs. Evangeline Ramsdell, and Mrs. Mary Mills. She received many gifts from friends who were unable to attend the shower.

Mrs. Edward Chase is a surgical patient at the C. M. G. Hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. George Ramsdell and family of West Newton, Mass., are the guests of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Lister.

Leroy Martin Jr. of Auburn was a week end visitor of friends and relatives in town.

Mrs. Helena Bartlett spent last week at Portland.

Milan Chapin and Sidney Bartlett who have employment at South Portland were in town Sunday.

Leaton Sumner has moved his family from his place here to Rowe Hill.

Miss Phyllis Cotton of Bethel visited her cousin, Miss Barbara Cole over the week end.

Arthur Coolidge, Misses Therese and Margaret Coolidge, E. T. Roberts and Miss Frances Strout were in Lewiston, Saturday.

Mrs. Julia Coolidge of Norway was at her home here for the week end.

WEST PARIS

Mrs. Geneva Tuell, Correspondent

POLAND—BUCK

There was a pretty wedding at the home of Rev. Eleanor B. Forbes Friday evening when Florus E. Poland of Milton and Miss Eva May Buck of Woodstock were united in marriage the double ring service was used. They were accompanied by the bridegroom's uncle, Harry Poland, and sister, Miss Gwendolyn Poland.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Winfield Buck of Woodstock and the groom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Florus Poland of Milton. He left Friday afternoon for Portland and from there will go to Fort Devens, Mass., to be inducted into the United States Army.

Mrs. H. R. Tuell was a hostess Wednesday afternoon to the Baynes Bird Club for their annual meeting. Officers elected were: President, Mrs. Alice Littlehale; Vice President, Mrs. Izora Berry; Secretary, Miss Clara Berry; Treasurer, Mrs. Dora Jackson; Program Committee, Clara Berry, Ruth Tucker Elva Ring.

Lewis Abbott lost the end of his little finger requiring amputation at the first joint Tuesday forenoon in the Lewis M. Mann & Sons mill.

Mrs. Irvin L. Bowker came Wednesday for a visit with her aunt, Mrs. H. R. Tuell.

Stanton Lamb lost the end of his finger in a machine at Penley's Mill the last of the week.

West Paris High School commencement parts are as follows: Co-Valedictorians, Olga Kyllonen, Elvi Lilmatti; Historian, Ida Korhonen; Prophecy, Roy Perham, Jr.; Address to Undergraduates, George Oja; Gifts for Boys, Anna Schroderus; Gifts for Girls, Derwood Buck; Class Will, Lahja Pike.

The guests at Robert Martin's party April 1 were Lula, Phillip and Lloyd Waterhouse, Rupert Martin, Dale Emery, Phillip Edmunds, Franklin Stone, Raymond Polvinen, Edward Buck and Everett Chase. Games were played and sandwiches, punch, cake, and ice cream were served by the young host's mother, Mrs. Charles Martin.

GREENWOOD CENTER

Leroy Martin Jr., of Auburn called on his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Martin, over the week end. He also called on friends and relatives of this place.

Mr. Schute, the head road commissioner, called on Lester Cole recently.

Master Kent Martin is visiting with his grandmother at present. Irving Martin of Greenwood City called at Roy Martin's, recently.

Ronald Bonney from the shipyard at Portland called on his mother, Mrs. Gladys Bailey, Saturday evening.

The Morgans from Portsmouth, N. H., were at D. R. Cole's over the week end.

Archie Stevens from Locke Mills called on friends in the place recently.

Miss Helen Crockett visited her parents at Locke Mills over the week-end.

The Morey truck went down through Sunday. The roads are real muddy between here and the City. It will probably be some time before the roads are passable.

MILTON

Mrs. Basha Ackley is at her home here from her work at Fryeburg. Mrs. Ella Dyer worked last week for Clara Jackson as Mrs. Hattie Akers was sick.

Arthur Brown and Myrtle Young spent the week end at his home here.

Mr. and Mrs. Alpheus Coffin and children of Rumford and Mr. and Mrs. Roland Lord visited Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Walter Millett.

Edward Poland went to Fort Devens, Mass., Friday where he was inducted into the Army.

Urban Buck has been very ill with a cold.

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THE CITIZEN

EAST BETHEL

Mary-Alice Hastings was very ill last week with flu and is still confined to her bed.

Clare Tyler and Lendall Nevens were both home from school last week with severe colds. Lendall returned to school Monday but Clare is still at home. Several other children have colds and coughs.

The first Home Nursing Class was held Tuesday evening of last week with Mrs. R. R. Tibbetts as instructor. Twelve ladies were present, four others who had signed up were absent. Two others are expected to join the class this week.

The Nutrition meeting which was to have been held Tuesday has been postponed until Thursday of next week. The Farm Bureau Group are invited to meet with the group at Locke Mills to hear Mrs. Theresa Anderson Friday at 1 p. m.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Akers and daughter of Andover were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. S. B. Newton.

Mr. and Mrs. Bert Grover and Carla Swan were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Reed, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Wendall Edmunds were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. S. D. Harrington.

Mrs. Eunice R. Winslow has sold her place to Mr. and Mrs. Norton of Bethel who will take possession the last of this week.

E. A. Trask has been ill with a severe cold for the past two weeks and was out of doors Monday for the first time in over ten days.

Mr. and Mrs. Mellen Kimball and daughter were over Sunday guests of Mrs. Doris Kimball. Donald Kimball was home from South Portland a few days.

ALDER RIVER GRANGE

Alder River Grange held a regular meeting Friday evening. Guy Bartlett, L. D. Kimball, Louise Coolidge and B. W. Kimball filled the chairs of Steward, Assistant Steward, Lady Assistant Steward and Gate Keeper. Treasurer John Irvine showed the grange the two twenty-five dollar Defense Bonds which the Grange voted to purchase some time ago.

All were requested to come in old fashioned costumes or pay a fine to help on our soldier members' dues. Roll call for the program was answered by "Safety Hints." John Irvine read parts of an article on Safety put out by the Metropolitan Insurance Company.

A Candle Lighting Service with Ruth Hastings as reader was an impressive and unusual feature. Grange closed with singing "God Bless America," after which Mrs. Foster surprised every one with a feast of Maple sugar on snow which was much enjoyed by the thirteen members present. A letter was read from Harris Tyler in Camp Shelby, Miss.

EAST STONEHAM

Bette Littlefield, who is working in Hartford, Conn., spent Easter with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Thaxter Littlefield.

Mrs. Georgia McAllister returned home Friday after spending a week with her daughter, Mrs. Vira Murphy, at Norway.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry McAllister of Norway called on his mother, Mrs. Georgia McAllister, Sunday.

Wendell Kurk and son, Fred, of Fryeburg were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Willis Warren, Sunday.

Elizabeth Bartlett has returned to her camp after spending a week at Norway.

There was a sunrise service at East Stoneham Sunday morning followed by a breakfast at Church vestry which was in charge of the young people. There was a regular service at 9:45 with a full church. Many from North Waterford attended church at E. Stoneham. Rev. Deane Hodges was minister in charge of services and Mrs. Hodges was organist.

Rev. and Mrs. Hodges leave Monday for their new parish. Our best wishes go with them.

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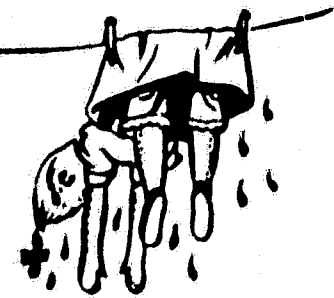
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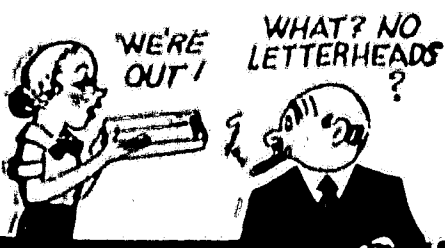


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6.30 p. m. Pilgrim Fellowship.

METHODIST CHURCH

M. A. Gordon, pastor

9.45 Church School. Mrs. Leona Swan, supt. Classes for all.

11.00 Sunday morning worship

Special singing by Church Choir. Mrs. Mildred Lyon, director. Subject of sermon, "The Ascension of Christ." Short business meeting of church.

6.30 Epworth League.

8.00 Evening Service. A Service of Intercession for the Families of the Men in the Nation's Armed Forces and for the Men Themselves. Bethel Band invited.

Mothers Club meets Wednesday evening, April 16, with Mrs. Verna Dyke. Parents' Problems. General Discussion, led by Mrs. Edna York.

Women's Society of Christian Service meets with Mrs. Esther Brown. Program in charge of Mrs. Gordon.

And as they thus spoke, Jesus himself stood in the midst of them, and said unto them, "Peace be unto you." St. Luke 24: 36.

CHRISTIAN SCIENCE CHURCH

Sunday School at 10 o'clock.

Services Sunday morning at 10.45.

"Are sin, disease, and death real?" is the subject of the Lesson-Sermon that will be read in all Churches of Christ, Scientist, on Sunday, April 12.

LOCKE MILLS CHURCH

Pastor—Rev. Abbie Norton

S. School 10.30 a. m. Supt. Carleton Lapham.

Regular service of worship, 7 p. m. Subject, "What We Know about Heaven." Special music.

BIRTHS

At Berlin, N. H., April 4, to the wife of Donald Bennett of Locke Mills, a son.

MARRIAGES

At West Paris, April 3, by Rev. Eleanor B. Forbes, Florus E. Poland of Milton and Miss Eva May Buck of Woodstock.

At Bangor, April 6, by Rev. John V. Fenster, William Walton Wight formerly of Bethel, and Miss Ruth Elizabeth White of Bangor.

DEATHS

At Norway, April 3, Philip D. Wight Jr., aged 21 years.

At North Newry, April 5, Sumner P. Davis, aged 70 years.

At Bryant Pond, April 6, Georgia A. Crockett, aged 81 years.

At Bethel, April 8, Mrs. Nettie A. Chapman, aged 74 years.

At South Waterford, April 7, George Waugh, aged 60 years.

MARGARET TIBBETTS WINS BRYN MAWR FELLOWSHIP

Dr. and Mrs. R. R. Tibbetts have received word that their daughter, Miss Margaret Joy Tibbetts, has been awarded the Resident Fellowship in the department of history of the value of \$860 at Bryn Mawr College, Bryn Mawr, Penna., for 1942-43.

FLIGHT SERGEANT SENDS THANKS

One of the many letters demonstrating the importance of the woolen garments which British War Relief Society knitters have produced by the thousand is from Flight Sergeant T. Fairhurst, who writes from an air station "Somewhere in England" as follows:

"Many thanks for the nice pull-over that I received today. It will come in very useful because we are having some very cold weather here just now. It is very good of you ladies to sit and knit for we fellows over here, it makes us feel that we are all friends, even if we are so very far apart.

"Now that you have joined this war with us, I suppose that you will have some one more dear to knit for. If so, I wish him luck. If he comes over here give him my address, which is 8 Greenhead Lane, Chapeltown, Sheffield, and if I am still away, my wife and daughter will make him very welcome. It will be some place for him to go and I may be able to get home to see him. I think that is the best thing we can do for a fellow who is so far away from home and friends. We have a boy out East with the R. A. F. and often wonder what he is doing.

"Tell the boy that he will be very welcome and he can have a decent feed a bit better cooked than the service can do it.

"I suppose you often wonder who received your knitting or if it ever landed here. Well, this letter may cheer you up in the knowledge that it is doing good service.

"Well, let me thank you once again for your kindness in knitting for us."

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Here are Arthur E. Herrick (now Bethel's postmaster) and Miss Eva M. Glines (now Mrs. Herrick) when they were Gould Academy students. The car is a Pope Tribune, acquired by E. A. Herrick in 1905, which was probably the second car owned in town. In those days the registration plates were not dated; windshields, tops and fenders were not considered necessary; and a 25 mile trip was an adventure which likely included extensive motor and tire repairs and assistance on steep grades. This photograph was taken about 1908.

GILEAD

Leon Heath of Gorham, N. H., was a visitor in town Sunday.

Mrs. Florence Holden and sons were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Cleve Kimball in South Paris, Saturday.

Glenn and Ferrol Witter of Portland were in town Sunday.

John McBride has gone to Shelburne, N. H., where he has employment at the Ingalls Farm.

Misses Lena and Dorothy Goud of Portland were guests of friends in town Monday.

Frank Hunt of Bethel was a business visitor in town, Tuesday.

Miss Cora Rheame of Berlin, N. H., was a recent guest of friends in town.

The Home Nursing classes finished Friday afternoon. Mrs. Alma Thurston, R. N., of Bethel was the instructor. At the last meeting the class presented Mrs. Thurston a gift after which refreshments of sandwiches, cake and ice cream were served. The following ladies completed the course, Mildred Heath, Sophie Lozier, Antoinette Nadeau, Hilda Donahue, Leah Witter, Dorothy Thurlow, Hilda Young, Helen Daniels and Mary Cole of Gilead; Mrs. Marlon Perry of West Bethel and Mrs. Verna Dyke of Bethel.

Mrs. Ina Oleson spent the week-end at Mrs. Jos. Lapointe's.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Fitzgerald and son, Carroll, were Sunday guests at E. O. Donahue's.

Mr. and Mrs. George Daniels spent the week-end at Head Tide.

E. O. Donahue as enjoying a week's vacation at his home.

Fred Wight was in Norway Monday to attend the funeral of his nephew.

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PHILIP D. WIGHT, JR.

Philip D. Wight Jr. of Norway drowned in a mud puddle after fainting, while at work at the C. B. Cummings & Sons lumber mill.

He was born in Bethel, April 9, 1921, the son of Philip and Ava M. Andrews Wight. Besides his parents he is survived by a brother, Richard, of the U. S. Navy; two sisters, Dorothy L. and Dawnalyn M.; grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Andrews; two aunts, Mrs. Edna Corey and Mrs. Marion Whitman, all of Norway; and an uncle, Fred Wight of Gilead.

Funeral services were held from the home Monday, Rev. Warren Palmer officiating. Bearers were Robert Dow, Carroll Davis, David Klain, George Newcomb, Edward Luok and Herbert Hill. Burial was at Norway Pine Grove Cemetery.

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BETHEL THEATRE

Friday-Saturday, April 7-8
YOUNG AMERICA

Jane Withers, Jane Darwell
TOP SERGEANT MULLIGAN

Nat Pendleton
Sterling Holloway

Sunday-Monday, April 12-13
BABES ON BROADWAY

Mickey Rooney, Judy Garland
Tues.-Wed., April 14-15

SUSPICION

Joan Fontaine, Cary Grant
Friday-Saturday, April 17-18

DR. KILDARE'S VICTORY

Low Ayers, Lionel Barrymore
Ann Ayars

TANKS A MILLION
William Tracy

MATINEES
Saturdays, 2:15; Sundays, 3:00

EVENINGS at 6:30—Two Shows
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DEMOCRAT LEGISLATURE

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